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From: <mzoubek@holli.com>
To: A4.A4(ssega)
Date: 12/29/95 8:34pm
Subject: Chairman's Column Comments

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Martin Zoubek (mzoubek@holli.com) writes:

- 1) I don't know whether or not you are aware of this, Mr.Chairman, but the equivalent of the contraversial "v-chip" already exists on all television receivers... It is prominently labelled as the "OFF" button.... I suggest that those who find certain types of programming learn how to use it...
I will NOT be held responsible for the fact that parents either will not or cannot monitor their children's activities, viewing habits or otherwise....
- 2) Internet censorship -- See the above
- 3) I LIKE violence on MY television... That is what MAKES television TELEVISION -- CONFLICT... Both of my children are adults living on their own now... As far as I ma concerned, they may watch whatever they choose..
- 4) I just DON'T LIKE some GOVERNMENT GEEK coming in to the privacy of MY HOME and TELLING ME what I CAN and CANNOT watch on MY television, or what material I CAN or CANNOT view om my computer terminal -- ESPECIALLY a GOVERNMENT GEEK whose wages *I* pay with MY taxes.....
- 5) By the way, to save the expense of any research you may choose to do on me because I happen to DISAGREE with the established LIBERAL POLITICALLY CORRECT poitn of view, my Amateur Radio Callsign is N9GMU.... That's just in vase you are thinking of trying to have it revoked due to the tone of my comments...

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Martin Zoubek N9GMU
Terre Haute Indiana

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From: <Sierra1998@aol.com>
To: A4.A4(ssegal)
Date: 12/26/95 8:12pm
Subject: Chairman's Column Comments

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Shirley Cochran (Sierra1998@aol.com) writes:

The concept of networking our classrooms and providing internet access to all students is absolutely fantastic and quite applaudable. I DO have a concern in how this will be financed, however. Working with computers and networks, I'm very much aware of the installation and maintenance costs associated with this work. Add to this the expense of upgrading to keep up with advances in technology and you have a very costly in-place investment to maintain. And this at a time when budgets for schools AND businesses are focusing more and more on the bottom-line issue (balancing budgets, decreasing expenditures, etc.) seems to indicate an overly-optimistic outlook on accomplishing the actions proposed in your column. I'd very much appreciate hearing about any ideas or suggestions you and your commission may be proposing to address funding. Thanks!

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From: AJM/MEM <amitch@ix.netcom.com>
To: A16.A16(kidstv)
Date: 2/5/96 1:53am
Subject: Re: ACT NOW for Better Kids' TV:

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I think it is horrible that my husband and I cannot sit and enjoy watching television with our 8 and 6 year old children. The so called "quality" of tv programs is non-existent.

I would like to see the regulations of the Children's Act of 1990 strengthened. There should be AT LEAST one hour a day of real educational childrens programming. There should be a clearer definition of what is considered "educational and informational" programming. And the "core" requirements of tv broadcasters should exclude the time before 7 am and after 10 pm.(for children's programming).

Hopefully my letter to you will help to improve the "quality" of television for our children. Our children are our future!!

Thank you.

Sincerely,
Mary Ellen Mitchell

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From: <mccannon@merlin.aa.edu>
To: A16.A16(kidstv)
Date: 2/5/96 3:21pm
Subject: Please

ALBUQUERQUE ACADEMY
INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

Date: 05-Feb-1996 01:17pm MDT
From: Bob McCannon
MCCANNON
Dept:
Tel No: 828-3264

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TO: Remote Addressee (kidstv@fcc.gov)

Subject: Please

Dear FCC,

Please strengthen the Children's TV Act. Do whatever you can to create positive, commercial-free, alternatives to the negative junk that takes place now in the Saturday morning ghetto. Also, please stop offensive ads like wrestling ads to take place in the middle of cartoons, etc.

Regards,
Bob McCannon
Director
The New Mexico Media Literacy Project
Albuquerque, New Mexico
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From: <rneff@hsph.harvard.edu>
To: A16.A16(kidstv)
Date: 2/3/96 1:48pm
Subject: mailto:kidstv@fcc.gov

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Please close the loopholes allowing TV stations to get out of showing children's educational TV that is actually educational. Talk shows and cartoons, for the most part do not qualify as educational. This is common knowledge. Do not let big tv corporations and their money cloud your best judgement. Thank you. Sincerely, Roni Neff

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From: <SFShirley@aol.com>
To: A16.A16(kidstv)
Date: 2/5/96 11:15am
Subject: Children's Television

I support the proposal to require every TV station to air at least an hour a day of real educational children's television, exclusive of adult talk shows, cartoons, and old sitcoms.

Sharon Shirley
Greenville, SC

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